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For: A METHOD OF MEASURING PHOSPHORESCENCE  
OR FLUORESCENCE

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified  
application as follows.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Page 8, the third full paragraph, lines 8 to 10, replace  
the paragraph with:

Figs. 6 to 9 are drawings representing a measurement  
apparatus according to the present invention.

**REMARKS**

Examination is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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**MARKED UP VERSION OF REPLACED  
PARAGRAPH OF THE SPECIFICATION**

Page 8, the third full paragraph (lines 8-10), the marked up paragraph is as follows:

Figs. 6 to [10] 9 are drawings representing a measurement apparatus according to the present invention.